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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

SIR:

follows:

Please amend the above-identified application before examination as

IN THE SPECIFICATION AND ABSTRACT:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.121(b)(3), a Substitute Specification (including the Abstract but without claims) accompanies this response. It is respectfully requested that the Substitute Specification be entered to replace the Specification of record.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Without prejudice, please cancel original claims 1-7 and cancel substitute claims 1-3. Please add new claims 8-13 as shown below:

--8. (New) A semiconductor chip comprising:

a first layer of a first conductivity type having at least two partial layers, a first

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